Poor Tommy,—Teacher—What is the mat-ter with you to-day, Tommy? You seem to be nervous and uneasy. Tommy—I am. Yesterday was my pa and ma's wooden weddin' and nearly all the neighbors sent 'em shingles.—Chicago

## Wanted--Your Laundry Work.

PEERLESS STEAM LAUNDRY, 112-114 West Righth St. Telephone 333.

... FAIR WARNING ...

## Order Your Roofing Quick

Before we advance prices, which we will have to do very soon. THE KANSAS CITY ROOFING AND CORRUGATING CO. 416 Delaware St., Kansas City, Mo. February 6, 1899.

Mention Advocate and News when writing

SEASONABLE SUGGESTION

TAKE A TRIP TO



Best Reached in Through Cars by Louisville & Nashville R. R.

Write for Information to

C. P. ATMORE, Gen'l Pass. Agent, LOUISVILLE, KY



THE GREAT SOUTHWEST SYSTEM

.... Traversing the States of ...

COLORADO MISSOURI KANSAS NEBRASKA ARKANSAS AND THE INDIAN TERRITORY

Five (5) Daily Passeeger Trains are run on this line in each direction between Kansas City and St. Louis.

The famous Hot Springs of Arkansas are reached only by this line.

H. C. TOWNSEND, G. P. & T. A , St. Louis, Mo.

F. E. NIPPS, Agent, Topeka, Kas.





Use

# Kansas Lump Rock Salt

For Stock.

Purest, Healthiest, Best.

BROUND ROCK SALT FOR STOCK.

Use Rock Sait for Hides, Pickles, Ice Cre Meate, Ice Cream, ice Making, Fertilizing, &c., &c

Mines and Works, Lyons and Kanopolis, Kan.

Address WESTERN ROCK SALT CO., ST. LOUIS, MO. Sole Agents for Lyons Rock Salt Co., and Royal Salt Co.

## COMING SUNNY SLOPE SA

THE KANSAS CITY STOCK YARDS SALE PAVILION, ..TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 1899....

FIFTY BULLS, choice out of 100 head, among them my Great Herd Bull, KODAX OF ROCKLAND 40731 with several of his get. FORTY HEAD of 2-YEAR-OLD HEIFERS, bred to such bulls as WILD TOM 51392, IMP. KEEP ON 78015, ARCHIBALD V 54431, KODAX OF ROCKLAND 40731, JAVA 54045 and IMP. SENTINEL 75053. FIVE COWS in calf or with calf at side. In this draft will be the get of WILD TOM 51592, CLIMAX 69942, KODAX OF ROCKLAND 40731, etc. These cattle were especially selected for this sale and consist of the best 100 head out of the herd of 600 individuals now on Sunny Slope Farm. We believe that there is not one in this sale draft of 100 head that is not good enough to go in any herd in this country. WRITE FOR CATALOGUE.

COLE. P. M. WOODS, S. A. SAWYER, JAS. W. SPARKS, R. E. EDMONSON AND J. N. BURTON.

C. A. STANNARD, EMPORIA, KANS.

DENVER. SALT LAKE, SAN FRANCISCO.



### POINTS WEST

ARE MORE QUICKLY BEACHED VIA THE UNION PACIFIC THAN VIA ANY OTHER LINE.

The Only Direct Route The Best Equipped Route,

The Fastest Route The Safest Route

THE ONLY DINING CAR ROUTE KANSAS CITY TO PACIFIC COAST.

For time tables, folders, illustrated books, pamphlets descriptive of the territory traversed, call on F. A. Lewis, City Ticket Agent, or J. C. Fulton, Depot Agent, Topeka, Kans.

GEO. KLEIN & CO., MAKRISS OF **HIGH-GRADE + HARNESS** 

and SADDLERY GOODS. REPAIRING PROMPTLY DONE. 718 Kansas Avenue, - Topeka, Kas.

ONLY ONE DOLLAR-DOWN GENTS' OR LADIES'.

SEARS, ROEBUCK & CO., CHICAGO, ILL. 

A STANDARD BOOK ON AN IMPORTANT SUBJECT.

# Question,

By WILLIAM LARRABRE (Late Governor of Iowa.)

### A CLASSIC ON THIS GREAT PROBLEM.

I.—History of Transportation. II.—The History of Railroads. III.—History of Railroads in the United States. IV.—Monopoly, in Transportation. V.—Railroad Abuses. V.—Stock and Bond Inflation. VII.—Combinations. VIII. Railroads in Politics. IX. X.—Railroad literature. XI.—Railroads and Railroad Legislation in Iowa. XII.—The Hate Question. XIV.—Kenedies. APPRIOUX:—Tables and Statistics.—There is also a hibliography on the subject of Railroads, embracing ninety-eight titles, and a carefully prepared alphabetical index. "In point of authenticity the book is absolutely to be relied upon."—St. Louis Post-Dispolch.

Dispatch.

"Governor Larrabee came to Iowa before any railroad had reached the Mississippi. Engaging in manufacturing, the inconveniences which he suffered from want of transportation facilities instilled liberal opinious concerning railroads. He made private donations to new roads and he advocated public aid to them. As a legislator he introduced a bill authorizing a 5 per cent. tax in aid of railroad construction. He believed that the common law and competition could be relied upon to correct abuse and to solve the rate problem. It has not been until since these efforts were made that he has become convinced, as he says in his preface, that "where combination is possible competition is impossible." The object of this work is explained to be to set forth the objections which ite against the management of railroads as private property. They are used by their managers for speculative purposes. They cannot perform their proper functions so long as they are used only for the interests of their stockholders. In order to serve their real purpose, "they must become in fact what they are in theory, highways to be controlled by the government as thoroughly and effectively as the common road, the turnpike and the ferry, the postoffice and the custom-house."—Council Bluffs Non-parell.

The Kansas City Stock Yards SPECIAL OFFER.

We have made arrangements by which we are able to offer our readers the CLOTH-HOUND edition of this great book for only forty cents, postpaid. Take advantage of of \$1.50 will be in force again as soon as the

supply secured for this purpose is exhausted. Address all orders to THE ADVOCATE AND NEWS,

for the handling of live stock of any in the world. THE KANSAS CITY MARKET, owing o its central location, its immense railroad system and its financial resources, offers greater dvantages than any other in the trans- Mississippi territory. It is

ATTORNEYS.

Real Estate, Mortgage, Bond and Commercial litigation solicited.

GUTHRIE, AUSTIN & WILSON, DAVID MARTIN, (Ex-Chief Justice of Ennsas)

> ATTORNEY and COUNSELOR. Attention given to business under the new bankraptey law.

Booms 9 and II, Stormont Bldg. TOPEKA, KAS. Hooms 8 and 7, fourth floor. TOPEKA, KANSAS.

Cattle and Calves. Hogs. 
 Official Receipts for 1898
 1,846,233
 3,672,909

 Seld in Kunsas City 1898
 1,757,163
 3,596,828
 980,303 815,580

C. F. MORSE, E. E. RIUHARDSON, H. P. CHILD, Vice Pres. and Gen. Mgr. Sec'y and Trees. Asst. Gen. Mgr.

Are the Finest Equipped, Most Modern in

Construction, and Afford the Best Facilities

The Largest Stocker and Feeder Market in the World,

while buyers for the great packing houses and export trade make Kansas City a market second to no other for every class of live stock.

WHEN YOU WRITE TO ADVERTISERS. **MENTION ADVOCATE AND NEWS**